

Chapter 24

SOLID WASTE^{??}

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ARTICLE I. IN GENERAL

Sec. 24-1. Penalty.

Unless stated otherwise, violations of this chapter shall be punished as provided in section 1-8.

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ARTICLE II. MUNICIPAL COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL SERVICE^{???}

DIVISION 1. GENERALLY

Sec. 24-26. Definitions.

The following words, terms and phrases, when used in this article, shall have the meanings ascribed to them in this section, except where the context clearly indicates a different meaning:

Approved receptacle shall mean:

- (a) A container of various sizes furnished by the city to residential and commercial customers to store solid waste for collection.
- (b) A plastic bag having sufficient wall strength, a thickness of not less than 1.2 mils, to maintain physical integrity when lifted at the top, the opening closed by tie or other seal, and contents not weighing more than fifty (50) pounds.

¹**Charter reference**—Powers relative to solid waste, § 12.

Cross references—Health and human services, Ch. 13; nuisances, Ch. 18; water, sewers and sewage disposal, Ch. 30.

State law references—Solid Waste Disposal Act, V.T.C.A., Health and Safety Code § 361.001 et seq.; Solid Waste Recovery Financing Act, V.T.C.A., Health and Safety Code § 362.001 et seq.; Comprehensive Municipal Solid Waste Management, Resource Recovery and Conservation Act, V.T.C.A., Health and Safety Code § 363.001 et seq.; Texas Litter Abatement Act, V.T.C.A., Health and Safety Code § 365.001 et seq.

²**State law references**—Local solid waste management plan, V.T.C.A., Health and Safety Code § 363.004; municipal collection and disposal services, V.T.C.A., Health and Safety Code § 363.111 et seq.

Automated collection – the use of mechanical devices to lift and empty solid waste containers into solid waste collection vehicles.

Automated container – a container provided by the city of varying capacity used for garbage/rubbish collection.

Boxes – corrugated cardboard boxes with dimensions not exceeding 2 ft x 2 ft x 2 ft, and/or a volume of 8 cubic feet, capable of holding the materials therein, when lifted. Solid waste materials placed in the box shall be acceptable materials for collection, and shall be contained so as not to cause windblown litter.

Brush – cuttings or trimmings from trees or shrubs of such length and bulk that cannot be placed in a container.

Bulky waste shall mean large items, objects, or stable matter, which because of their bulk, size, weight, and/or dimensions, can not be placed in an approved receptacle or container, and require special collection methods. Examples include furniture items, appliances, tree limbs, and construction debris.

Business, as used herein, shall mean any commercial operation, or any usage of property for other than residential purposes, involving the employment of any individual, or the sale or manufacture of any product.

Chlorinated fluorocarbon (CFC) - a refrigerant used in freezers, refrigerators, and air conditioners.

City – the city of Killeen, Bell County, Texas.

Collection – the act of removing accumulated solid waste from the point of collection and transporting it to a solid waste management facility; collection may also occur at centralized points where generators deliver their solid waste.

Collection day - for residential collection is 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday, as designated for a particular service area or geographical region.

Collection frequency – the number of times per week that collection service is provided.

Collection/service stop – a term used to describe a unique address that is a point of collection and requires collection services, i.e., a geographical point within a service area that requires the collection vehicle to stop and collect solid waste and/or recyclables, or other materials.

Collection system – a combination of the various components that are necessary to provide a collection service, including the system design, equipment and human resources, point of collection, frequency, system costs, and method of financing.

Commercial customer – any enterprise or establishment whose main purpose is to carry on a business activity whether for profit or not, and typically includes, but not limited to, such enterprises as: hotels, motels, restaurants, fast food establishments, retail stores, schools, offices, shopping centers/malls/plazas, factories/manufacturing facilities, warehouses, and high density occupied dwellings such as apartment complexes and mobile home parks.

Compost – compost is an organic soil conditioner that has been stabilized to a humuslike product that is free of viable human and plant pathogens and plant seeds, that does not attract insects or other vectors (organisms that transmit pathogens), that can be handled and stored without nuisance, and that is beneficial to the growth of plants.

Construction debris shall mean building material waste resulting from demolition, remodeling, repair, or construction.

Curblin – the area directly behind the curb. In the absence of a curb, the area directly behind the edge of the roadway.

Curbside collection – the collection of solid waste, recyclables, or other materials placed in front of the property (curbside) by the generator who then returns the container to its normal location after it has been emptied.

Disabled household shall mean a residential dwelling unit where all occupants over the age of sixteen (16) are physically incapable of transporting garbage and/or rubbish to the property curbside. A statement or certification from a licensed medical doctor may be required to substantiate the incapacity.

Dumpster – a common term used to describe storage bins (containers) for commercial, institutional, and industrial solid waste.

Garbage shall mean solid waste consisting of putrescible animal and vegetable waste materials resulting from the handling, preparation, cooking, and consumption of food, including waste materials from markets, storage facilities, handling and sale of produce and other food products.

Hazardous waste material shall mean any solid waste identified or listed as a hazardous waste by the administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) pursuant to the Federal Solid Waste Disposal Act, as amended by the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act of 1976, section 42 USC, section 6901 et seq., as amended.

Manual collection – a method of collecting solid waste where the operator and/or collector(s) leave the collection vehicle and manually empties the container(s). Storage containers may be brought to the point of collection by the generator or a member of the collection crew.

Materials recovery facility – a term used for a facility that separates mixed (commingled) recyclables into various components and processes those components for sale as secondary materials.

Noncollection material - materials that shall not be collected by the solid waste services division, including, but not limited to, rock, dirt, manure, dead animals, tires, tire and wheel combinations, hazardous waste material, lead acid batteries, engines, lawn mowers, riding mowers, liquid waste of any kind, vehicle bodies, boats, mobile homes, trailers, campers, and other items of like size; waste from undeveloped property, and landscaping waste for new homes or commercial sites.

Point of collection – a geographical point on a generator's property where storage containers are placed for collection service.

Premises - businesses, houses, boarding and rooming houses, theaters, hotels, restaurants, cafes, eating houses, tourist camps, apartments, sanitariums, schools, private residences, vacant lots, and all other places within the city where garbage, trash or rubbish accumulates in ordinary quantities.

Putrescible garbage, as used herein, shall be held and construed to mean animal or vegetable matter, such as waste material from kitchens, grocery stores, butcher shops, restaurants, cafes, hotel, rooming and boarding houses, such as scraps of meat, bread, bones, and peelings of fruit and vegetables.

Recycling – the diversion of specific materials from a solid waste stream and the processing of those materials for use as new products and/or other productive uses including composting.

Recycling drop-off center – a location, either temporary or permanent, established for the receipt of recyclable solid waste including, but not limited to, aluminum, cardboard, metal, paper, glass, and plastic.

Residential solid waste – solid waste generated from single and multi-family sources; frequently called household solid waste, or household wastes.

Roll-off container – a container used for the storage, collection and transport of commercial, institutional, or industrial solid waste. The container is pulled onto the tilt-frame of the collection vehicle with a cable by winch, reeving cylinders, or by hooks and taken to a solid waste management facility for emptying. Normally, an empty roll-off container is delivered to a customer at the time of collection, rolled off, and left for future use.

Route – a round of stops to collect solid waste; a path regularly visited by a collection vehicle.

Rubbish, as used herein, shall mean nonputrescible solid waste, consisting of both combustible and noncombustible waste materials; including, but not limited to, paper, rags, cartons, excelsior, rubber, plastics, yard trimmings, leaves, glass, crockery, tin cans, aluminum cans, and other such waste generated from residential and commercial sources.

Scavenging – the uncontrolled and unauthorized removal of materials from any container,

bag, or receptacle within the corporate limits of the city.

Scrap tire – any tire that can no longer be used for its original intended purpose.

Service area – a geographic area provided solid waste collection service; service areas are normally divided into districts or routes to provide collection services.

Special wastes – a term commonly used to describe specific materials that may require special collection and management approaches.

Transfer station – a facility where the transfer of collected solid wastes from collection vehicles to transfer vehicles takes place.

White goods – used to denote large household appliances such as refrigerators, stoves, ranges, air conditioners, dryers, and washing machines.

Yard waste, as used herein, shall mean leaves, grass clippings, shrubs or plant cuttings, yard and garden debris, resulting from yard maintenance, that can be placed in a plastic bag for disposal.

(Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Cross reference(s)--Definitions and rules of construction generally, § 1-2.

Sec. 24-27. Placement in receptacle.

Each person within the city having garbage and rubbish to be disposed of is hereby required to place same in approved receptacles. It is unlawful for any person to place any garbage or rubbish on the ground, or in anything other than an approved receptacle. (Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-28. Customers required to maintain sufficient disposal capacity.

Each owner, occupant, tenant, or lessee using or occupying any residence or structure or who has a place of business within the city is required to keep and maintain at all times at such residence or structure or place of business approved receptacles in sufficient numbers to properly contain all garbage and rubbish disposed of from such residence or structure or place of business. (Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-29. City to provide solid waste services.

(a) The city's solid waste services division shall be the exclusive provider of residential and commercial garbage, rubbish, and solid waste collection and disposal services for all premises within the city. It shall be unlawful for any person or corporation to provide residential or commercial garbage, rubbish, or solid waste collection or disposal services to any person for compensation within the city, or to make use of the public streets for that purpose, without first obtaining an approved permit from the city council.

(b) All residential and commercial premises shall subscribe to the city solid waste services. (Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-30. Solid waste compliance.

The city's solid waste services division shall not make collection of garbage, trash, recycling, rubbish, brush, large items, and white goods, where same are not prepared for collection and placed as designated by the terms of this article. Failure to comply will be an offense and each day's failure to comply will constitute a separate offense. (Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-31. Securing receptacles required.

All plastic bags shall be securely closed at all times and other approved receptacles shall be equipped with adequate lids or coverings and shall be covered by such lids or coverings at all times. (Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-32. Noncollection material.

Noncollection material shall be hauled away from the premises by the owner, occupant, tenant or lessee thereof at his own expense and by his own means. Such material shall not be considered garbage or rubbish and shall not be collected by the solid waste services division. Such material shall not be dumped, placed in alleys, streets, or retained on the premises so as to become a nuisance. (Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-33. Collection of fees.

The charges for the removal and disposal of all garbage, trash or rubbish shall be entered by the city in their respective amounts as charges against each such person on the utility bill of such person and the amount so fixed and charged shall be collected monthly in connection with and as a part of the utility bills of the city. Should any person of any place of abode or of any place of business fail or refuse to pay the charges fixed against him and his place of abode or his place of business when due, the city shall be authorized to cut off and disconnect the water and sewer services to his place of abode or place of business and against which such solid waste pickup fees have been fixed and assessed, and in addition thereto shall be authorized to discontinue solid waste pickup services until such fees have been paid in full. (Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-34. Hauling to transfer station does not avoid charges.

Should any person, owner, occupant, tenant or lessee within the city haul all or any part of his garbage or rubbish to the transfer station, he shall nevertheless be required to pay garbage and rubbish collection fees in accordance with this article, and shall be required to deposit his garbage and rubbish at the transfer station in accordance with and subject to the rules and regulations of the solid waste services division. (Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Secs. 24-35--24-45. Reserved.

DIVISION 2. RESIDENTIAL COLLECTION

Sec. 24-46. Residential collection services.

(a) *Utility account:* All residential units that subscribe to water service shall establish a solid waste account with the utility collection division. A mandatory monthly collection fee shall be assessed and shall entitle the residential unit to receive standard weekly collection services. A separate deposit as stated in the rate schedule, division 6, shall be required for solid waste services. A waiver of the deposit maybe given to all active military members. All residential customers who maintain their utility account without incurring a penalty for late payment for a period of twelve (12) months shall receive a refund of their deposit. Such refund shall be credited to the customer's utility account. If the customer incurs more than one (1) late charge during any subsequent twelve (12) month period, a deposit in the amount of the solid waste deposit charge in effect at the time the penalty is incurred will be billed to the customer's account.

(b) *Standard weekly collection service:* Standard weekly collection services that are included in the base monthly rate (fee) shall be:

- (1) Once per week collection of garbage/rubbish placed in the city provided roll-out container(s).
- (2) Once per week collection of brush, up to six (6) cubic yards.
- (3) Once per week collection of yard waste (leaves, grass clippings, shrubs/tree trimmings), placed in bags only.

(c) *Special collection services:*

- (1) Special collection services will be provided weekly, for an additional fee, on the scheduled collection service day for the pickup of large items such as furniture; white goods such as appliances; excess garbage/rubbish in bags; excess waste in boxes as defined under section 24-26, definitions; construction and demolition debris such as dismantled fencing material, lumber, floor coverings, plumbing fixtures, and other materials as approved by the solid waste director, or appointed designee.
- (2) The additional fees for this special collection service are stated in the rate schedule, division 6, and shall be charged to the monthly utility bill for the residential unit or address that generated the waste.

(Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03; Ord. No. 05-12, § I, 2-8-05)

Sec. 24-47. Title to solid waste placed for collection.

(a) Title to all solid waste placed at the curb or collection point for collection by the city shall be vested in the city immediately upon placement by the person disposing of such solid waste.

(b) This section does not apply to solid waste that shall not be placed for collection under this chapter and solid waste that the city is prohibited by law or permit condition from collecting,

handling or disposing. The responsibility for properly disposing of such solid waste shall remain with the person placing such waste for disposal.

(Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-48. Prohibited materials.

The following categories of solid waste are defined as non-collection items and shall not be placed at curbside at any residence or premises for collection by the solid waste services division.

- (a) Rock.
- (b) Dirt.
- (c) Dead animals or dead animal waste.
- (d) Tires; tire and wheel combinations (see sections 24-85 and 24-108).
- (e) Hazardous waste material.
- (f) Lead acid batteries (see section 24-85).
- (g) Vehicle bodies, engines, boats, camper shells.
- (h) Lawn mowers; riding mowers (see section 24-104).
- (i) Liquid waste of any kind.

(Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-49. Automated residential collection system.

(a) *Container selection (size and quantity):* Residential units shall be provided roll-out containers of various sizes or volume. The customer may select the size of container(s) that best fulfills their disposal needs for once per week collection. The monthly base rate assessed on the customer utility bill shall be based on size and number of containers requested by the customer.

(b) The container(s) shall be issued to a residential address and shall not be removed from the premises, except by employees of the solid waste services division.

(c) *Containers are city property:* The roll-out containers shall be the property of the city and must not be painted, marked, abused, mutilated, altered, or modified in anyway. Abuse and damage to a container by customers shall result in an assessment equal to the replacement cost of the container and/or time and materials involved to repair such container. Collection service may be discontinued until the assessed fees are paid to the city. Without limiting the foregoing general statement, examples of abuse include, but are not limited to: overloading the container beyond the rated weight capacity of the container; fire damage caused by hot coals and/or ashes; painting or marking the container in any manner; or failing to follow the proper care and use instructions for the container.

(d) *Point of collection:* The container must be placed at the curbside or designated collection point not earlier than 8:00 p.m. prior to the collection day and no later than 7:00 a.m. on the scheduled collection day. The container must be placed at or near the driveway at least four (4) feet from any mailbox or other obstacle. On streets where “no parking” is allowed, the container shall be placed behind the curb. On streets where parking is allowed, the container shall be

placed in the street with wheels against the curb. The solid waste division director may make reasonable exceptions to the foregoing location requirements as needed to meet unique circumstances or to avoid undue hardship caused by literal compliance.

(e) Container(s) shall be removed from the curbside or designated collection point not later than 9:00 p.m. on the scheduled collection day. Container(s) shall be kept or stored on the premises no closer to the street than the front of the residence. Container(s) observed to be on the street at times not allowed shall be removed from the curbside by employees of the solid waste services division, and placed near the front edge of the residence or near the garage area. A tag shall be left on the container handle explaining the infraction and service performed. A fee as stated in the rate schedule, division 6, for this service will be charged to the monthly utility bill.

(f) *Missed service*: Residents whose containers were not collected because they were not placed at the required time or location as required by subsection (d) above are considered a “missed service.” Customers with “missed service” may receive collection service for a fee as stated in the rate schedule, division 6, which will be added to the monthly utility bill for that residence.

(g) *Stolen or missing container procedures*: A stolen container shall be reported to the police department and the solid waste services division. If a container is stolen at a time other than that described in subsections (d) and (e) above, the customer shall be assessed a fee to replace the container. If the container is later recovered, the replacement fee will be refunded to the customer.

(h) *Container exchange*: A customer may request a different sized container. A container exchange fee will be charged for an exchange to a larger container. There is no exchange fee for requesting a smaller container. An additional container of any size may be acquired by paying the fee stated in the rate schedule, division 6, for the size of the additional container requested.

(i) *Excess household garbage or rubbish placed in plastic bags*: Excess garbage or rubbish that will not fit into the automated container may be put in plastic bags, not larger than 33 gallons, and placed at the curb at least four feet from the container. After dumping the container provided for the base service, the driver will load the excess bagged garbage into the container for dumping. The driver will reload the container a maximum of twice per collection day. An additional fee for this service will be assessed to the residential unit as stated in the rate schedule, division 6.

(j) *Overloaded container*: An overloaded container is one in which the capacity is exceeded, which is indicated by trash extending above the container rim, so the lid will not close properly. The driver will remove the excess bagged garbage or rubbish level to the top rim of container, dump the container, and reload the excess garbage into the container for dumping. The “overloaded container” fee, as stated in the rate schedule, division 6, shall be charged to the monthly utility bill for that residence.

(k) *Assistance to disabled households*: Disabled households desiring special assistance on collection day must apply for that service by contacting the solid waste services division and

providing the information and verifications required by the solid waste director. At qualifying residential units, the employees of the solid waste services division shall roll the container from its storage location to the curbside for emptying, and return the container to its storage location. The storage location shall be coordinated with the household, but shall be on the premises outside the residence and safely accessible to the employee.
(Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-50. Brush collection.

(a) Brush collection shall be done once per week on the scheduled collection day for that service area.

(b) Brush, tree limbs, and tree trunks must be cut in lengths not more than twelve feet in length, and the pile shall not be mixed with any other waste, because it is taken to a location to be shredded/chipped into mulch.

(c) Brush must be set within 3 feet of the curb by 7:00 a.m. on the scheduled collection day, and be placed away from fences, shrubs, signs, fire hydrants, gas meters, mailboxes, overhead wires or other obstacles so as not to restrict pickup by a vehicle with a mechanical boom and grapple. Brush shall be placed at least four (4) feet away from the roll-out container so as not to interfere with the automated emptying of the container.

(d) The collection of brush is part of the standard weekly collection service, provided that the brush pile does not exceed six (6) cubic yards or the representative dimensions of 4 ft wide x 4 ft high x 12 ft long. Collection of brush in excess of six (6) cubic yards shall be assessed an excess brush fee as established in the rate schedule, division 6.
(Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-51. Yard waste – grass clippings, leaves, shrubs, and garden trimmings.

(a) Yard waste shall be placed at curb in bags and shall not weigh more than fifty (50) pounds each. The bags shall have sufficient wall strength and thickness (a minimum of 2.0 mils) to maintain physical integrity when lifted at the top, with the opening closed.

(b) Yard waste, in bags, shall be placed at curb not later than 7:00 a.m. on the scheduled collection day for that service area.

(c) The bags of yard waste shall be placed at least four (4) feet away from the roll-out container so as not to interfere with the automated emptying of the container.

(d) The collection of yard waste in plastic bags is included in the base monthly rate for standard weekly collection service. Additional fees are not assessed.
(Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-52. Move-in cardboard boxes and packing materials.

(a) A special one-time pickup of move-in cardboard boxes is offered to newcomers to Killeen. The pickup service must be requested by contacting the solid waste services division within six (6) months of establishing an account with the utility collection division. This service shall be provided free of charge on a one time basis to residential customers.

(b) The collection is done on Wednesdays only. The cardboard boxes (ten or more) must be flattened and placed at curb side by 7:00 a.m. Up to six (6) boxes are allowed to be filled with paper wrappings. Boxes that contain garbage or styrofoam are not allowed, these materials shall not be collected and are the responsibility of the resident for proper disposal.

(c) Inclement weather notice: corrugated cardboard boxes and paper have no recycling value if they become wet. Do not place at curbside for collection if inclement weather is eminent or forecast. A fee is charged for the pickup of wet cardboard and paper.
(Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-53. Special free collection of excess Christmas garbage/rubbish.

On the first scheduled collection day after Christmas day, the excess garbage/rubbish that accumulates during the holidays may be placed in plastic bags, not larger than 33 gallons or boxes not greater in volume than 8 cubic feet, and placed at the curb for pickup. There shall be no charge for this service. This special free service does not apply to other collections such as white goods and large items such as furniture. (Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-54. Special collection services.

(a) Fees shall be assessed for collection services not included in the standard weekly collection service. Fees shall be assessed to the residential address that generated the waste materials. The rates are as stated in the rate schedule, division 6.

(b) Special collection services are provided on the same day as the scheduled collection day. Waste materials shall be placed at curbside not later than 7:00 a.m.

(c) Examples of waste material collected for a fee are:

- (1) Bulky waste.
- (2) Home furnishing or furniture items such as chairs, tables, couches, and mattresses.
- (3) White goods or appliances such as washers, dryers, and stoves. See other instructions pertaining to white goods in section 24-55.
- (4) Excess household garbage/rubbish placed in plastic bags or boxes. The boxes must have dimensions not greater than 2 ft x 2 ft x 2 ft, and sufficiently sturdy to hold the materials therein when lifted. Waste materials in boxes must be secured so as not to cause litter.
- (5) Construction and demolition debris such as carpet, padding, dismantled fences, sinks, commodes, and etc.

(Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-55. White goods collection.

(a) White goods must be separated from other waste to allow pickup by a collection vehicle equipped with a mechanical boom and grapple. The vehicle must have safe clearance for its operation, both lateral and overhead clearance.

(b) Special provisions apply to air conditioning units, freezers, and refrigerators. The refrigerant or chlorinated fluorocarbons (CFC) must be removed by a licensed technician. The appliance must be free of CFC before the item can be picked up. The solid waste services division must be called for instructions. Forms required for certification by a licensed technician can be obtained from the solid waste services division.

(c) White goods must be placed at curb not later than 7:00 a.m. on the scheduled collection day, but not earlier than one day prior to collection day.

(d) A fee is charged for the collection as stated in the rate schedule, division 6, under "collection fees for special collection services."
(Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-56. Transfer station use.

Residential customers are authorized one free disposal of not more than 300 pounds per calendar month at the transfer station, when presenting a current utility bill for their residence showing that solid waste services is a paid utility. Weight in excess of 300 pounds shall be assessed at the current scale rate. Items which shall be accepted for disposal are brush, yard waste, grass clippings, leaves, garbage, rubbish, furniture items, building waste, demolition or construction materials or debris such as carpet, padding, roofing shingles, doors, lumber, sinks, commodes, and sheetrock. Walk behind lawnmowers may also be discarded provided it is demonstrated that the mower does not contain fuel or engine oil. (Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-57. Premium service.

Premium service includes collection on a day other than the normal scheduled collection day for that residential service area. Premium service is available upon request and charges are as stated in the rate schedule, division 6. (Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-58. Evictions, move-outs, and households with inactive accounts.

Nuisance conditions or garbage/trash rubbish at curb for residential evictions, move-outs, and households with an inactive solid waste utility account shall be abated at the direction of the solid waste director. All costs associated with the cleanup shall be billed to the owner of the property, or the responsible party, or the responsible property management office. The fee shall be the greater of: fees as stated in the rate schedule, division 6, or actual costs related to the cleanup, including but not limited to: employee wages, vehicle hourly rates, and the transport

and disposal costs for all solid waste collected. An active utility account, including water, sewer, and solid waste, shall not be allowed until fees are paid for the nuisance abatement. (Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Secs. 24-59--24-60. Reserved.

DIVISION 3. COMMERCIAL COLLECTION

Sec. 24-61. Commercial collection services.

(a) *Utility account:* All commercial businesses shall establish a solid waste account with the utility collections division.

(b) *Service level:* Commercial businesses shall select a level of service sufficiently adequate to prevent a health, sanitation, or litter problem. Service options that are available, but subject to approval by the solid waste director, or appointed designee, are:

(1) Once per week collection using the 96-gallon container.

(2) Once per week collection using the 300-gallon container.

(3) One to six collections per week using a selected size and quantity of dumpster container(s). Available sizes are 2, 3, 4, 6, and 8 cubic yard.

(Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-62. Special collection services.

For additional fees as stated in the rate schedule, division 6, commercial customers may request special collection services for:

(a) The pickup of segregated brush.

(b) The pickup of bulky waste, such as furniture items and appliances.

(c) The cleanup of excess garbage and rubbish on the site.

(d) The removal of large or bulky items placed in containers.

(Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-63. Shared containers.

To the maximum extent possible, container(s) shall be issued to each commercial customer necessary to accommodate their specific disposal needs. However, there are areas in the city that have limited space for container storage, or access is restricted for collection vehicles. In such cases, as approved by the solid waste director, or his appointed designee, a container may be placed in a common area to serve several business activities or commercial customers. Shared container service shall be prorated by the number of customers using the container. The fee for use of the container shall be based on the rate schedule, division 6. (Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-64. City-furnished containers.

The city shall furnish all commercial container(s) to be used in the collection and removal of garbage, trash, and rubbish with the exception of compactors. See section 24-66 regarding collection services for privately-owned compactors. (Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03; Ord. No. 06-132, § I, 12-12-06)

Sec. 24-65. Roll-off services.

(a) Roll-off containers are large, open top containers used primarily on construction sites to store construction and demolition debris. Roll-off containers are available for rental in sizes of 20 and 30 cubic yards.

(b) To obtain the service, an account shall be established with the utility collections division, and a pre-paid deposit shall be made based on size of the container, estimated number of container pickups per month, and the average weight of contents as historically determined by the solid waste director. An additional deposit may be required if the actual expenses incurred over a monthly billing cycle exceed the initial deposit.

(c) The fees for roll-off services are as shown in the rate schedule, division 6, but include the following:

- (1) A monthly rental fee for use of the container.
 - (2) A service fee to pickup, transport, and return container to the site or return to stock.
 - (3) Weight of container contents.
- (Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-66. Compactor services.

(a) The city provides collection services for compactors owned by the customer. The city does not own, rent, or repair compactors.

(b) Privately owned compactors must be compatible with the city's hauling equipment.

(c) The fees for servicing compactors are as shown in division 6, rate schedule.
(Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03; Ord. No. 06-132, § I, 12-12-06)

Sec. 24-67. Litter, odor, and insect control.

(a) Sides and doors of all containers shall be kept closed at all times except when the container is being filled or unloaded for disposal.

(b) Putrescible waste shall be placed in disposable containers or plastic bags of sufficient wall strength to maintain physical integrity and capable of being secured from leaking. The disposable container with contents shall be placed unbroken, into the container.
(Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-68. Prohibited items for commercial containers.

(a) It shall be unlawful to place any item in any container that because of weight, size, or other physical property, could cause damage to the collection vehicle. These items include, but are not limited to, any one (1) item over three (3) feet in any dimension, any one (1) item weighing in excess of fifty (50) pounds, any concrete, masonry products, earthen materials or furniture items such as couches and mattresses.

(b) It shall be unlawful for any person to start a fire, burn any material in a city-owned solid waste container, or to paint or mark the same, or to place any poster, placard, or sign upon the same.

(c) It shall be unlawful for any person, other than the owner or occupant of any premise that is paying for the collection service, to deposit any garbage, trash, or other material in any container.

(d) Other items prohibited for placement in a container are: tires, tire and wheel components, dead animals, dead animal waste, lead acid batteries, paint, lawn mowers, liquid waste of any kind, engines, unbagged or unsealed putrescible waste, and hazardous waste materials of any type.

(Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-69. Container site location and accessibility.

Commercial businesses using the city's container system for the removal of garbage, trash, and rubbish shall provide a readily accessible site for placement of container(s) on the establishment's property. Locating containers in streets, right-of-ways, the traveled portion of alleys, and intersection sight triangles is strictly prohibited. The site must have overhead clearance to allow pickup and emptying of containers by the city's collection vehicles. The site location shall be subject to approval of the solid waste director, or appointed designee. (Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-70. Site maintenance.

Maintenance of the site, together with the approach, shall be the responsibility of the owner. The city shall not be responsible for damage caused by collection vehicles to driveways, parking lots, or other traveled surfaces. (Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-71. Compactor maintenance.

(a) The city maintains and repairs city-owned containers on a cycle and as needed basis, such as washing, painting, replacement of lids and doors, and welding repairs to the container body.

(b) Customers shall not paint, mark, abuse, damage, alter, or modify the container in any way. Only those decals authorized by the solid waste director, or his appointed designee, may be

affixed to containers and the installation shall only be done by city employees.

(c) Containers, or parts thereof, that are damaged through other than fair wear and tear shall be charged to the customer. For example, any container that is destroyed or damaged by hot ashes or coals shall be the responsibility of the customer and shall be repaired or replaced at the customer's expense.

(d) Maintenance and/or repair of privately owned compactors is the responsibility of the commercial customer or owner.

(Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03; Ord. No. 06-132, § I, 12-12-06)

Sec. 24-72. Site clean up.

It is the responsibility of the customer to keep the area around the point of collection clean and sanitary. If conditions are a nuisance, thereby causing a litter, odor, environmental, unsanitary, or potential health hazard, the condition shall be abated as directed by the solid waste director. The customer shall pay all costs related to the cleanup, including but not limited to employee hourly wages, collection vehicle hourly rates, and the transport, and disposal costs for all solid waste collected. (Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-73. Container locking devices.

Locking devices are available to secure the container lid to prevent unauthorized access. The locking device allows the container to be secured at times needed, and does not have to be unlocked for the city to service the container. Fees are as stated in the rate schedule, division 6, and include a one time installation fee of the locking device and a monthly fee. (Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-74. Container pads for commercial containers.

As of the effective date of this article, all new container service requests must first comply with the following standards for container pads and screening prior to collection by the city.

- (a) Concrete pad and approach apron shall be constructed from concrete and shall be deemed to support the collection equipment.
- (b) The minimum dimensions of the approach apron shall be fourteen (14) feet wide and a depth of six (6) feet.
- (c) The minimum dimensions of the concrete pad, where a single container sits, shall be fourteen (14) feet wide and a depth varying from six (6) feet to fourteen (14) feet, depending on size of container. All containers have a width of eighty (80) inches.
- (d) All pads shall have screening on at least three (3) sides. Screens shall be constructed of masonry block, wood, or chain link fencing with slats. Doors are optional, but if installed, shall have features to secure doors in an open position while the collection vehicle is emptying the container.
- (e) The orientation of the pad shall accommodate a safe approach by the collection vehicle. The pad shall be level with the roadway or slope to roadway for easy access.

(Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Secs. 24-75--24-80. Reserved.

DIVISION 4. RECYCLING PROGRAM

Sec. 24-81. Definitions.

The following words, terms, and phrases, when used in this article, shall have the following meaning ascribed to them.

(a) *Recycle materials* means materials such as, but not limited to, paper products, glass, aluminum and other metals, plastic, and containers made in whole or in part of aluminum, metal, or plastic, which are separated and segregated from other garbage, trash, or refuse for the purpose of recycling and which are placed in a recycling receptacle for use in a recycling program.

(b) *Recycling* means the process of collecting and turning used products into new products by reprocessing or remanufacturing them.

(c) *Recycling program* means the organized collection of recyclable material for the purpose of resource recovery and recycling in pursuit of the goals of the city.

(Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-82. Ownership of recyclable material.

Placing recyclable material in an authorized recycling receptacle at a designated recycling location shall be deemed to vest title to the material to the city and shall not constitute abandonment of the material. (Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-83. Value.

It is hereby declared that recyclable material has value. (Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-84. Theft of recyclable material prohibited.

Any person, other than an authorized city employee, who collects, obtains, possesses, picks up, takes, or otherwise removes any recyclable material from an authorized recycling receptacle or removes an authorized recycling receptacle that has been placed at a designated recycling location or both, commits the offense of “theft” as defined in the Texas Penal Code. (Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-85. Recycling drop-off center.

(a) The city operates two (2) citizen drop-off sites for recyclable materials. One is the Killeen recycle center located at 111 East Avenue F and the other at the transfer station, 90648

South Hwy. 195.

(b) Acceptable materials vary by drop-off site, but are as posted at the site. Generally, acceptable materials include: paper products, metals, plastic containers #1 and #2, glass jars and bottles, and automotive materials such as waste oil, oil filters, transmission oil, hydraulic oil, differential oil, and lead acid batteries. Fees are not charged for depositing these materials.

(c) Scrap tires are accepted at the drop-off center, but a fee is charged per tire as stated in the rate schedule, division 6.

(d) Materials brought to the drop-off sites shall be placed in the designated container, or as directed by a site attendant. Materials shall not be left at drop-off sites during non-operational or non-public access hours.

(Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-86. Public scale.

The Killeen recycling center operates a certified public scale which can accommodate most vehicles, except large tractor trailers. A fee is charged for the use of scales as stated in the rate schedule, division 6. (Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-87. Residential curbside recycling service.

(a) Residents may subscribe to a curbside recycling service for the collection of designated recyclables. The service frequency is once per week, same day as the scheduled collection day, using a 22-gallon recycling “blue” bin.

(b) The monthly subscription fee is stated in the rate schedule, division 6.

(c) A subscriber to the service may request an additional (second bin) and lid(s) for the bin(s) for a one-time fee as stated in the rate schedule, division 6.

(d) The recycling bin shall be placed at curb approximately four (4) feet away from the city furnished roll-out container no later than 7:00 a.m. on the scheduled collection day.

(Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-88. Move-in cardboard boxes and packing materials.

(a) A special one-time pickup of move-in cardboard boxes is offered to newcomers to Killeen. The pickup service must be requested by contacting the solid waste services division within six (6) months of establishing an account with the utility collection division. This service shall be provided free of charge on a one time basis to residential customers.

(b) The collection is done on Wednesdays only. The cardboard boxes (ten or more) must be flattened and placed at curb side by 7:00 a.m. Up to six (6) boxes are allowed to be filled with paper wrappings. Boxes that contain garbage or Styrofoam are not allowed; these materials shall

not be collected and are the responsibility of the resident for proper disposal.

(c) Inclement weather notice: corrugated cardboard boxes and paper have no recycling value if they become wet. Do not place at curbside for collection if inclement weather is eminent or forecast. A fee is charged for the pickup of wet cardboard and paper.
(Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-89. Freon or chlorinated fluorocarbon (cfc) evacuation service.

(a) Appliances, such as refrigerators, that contain Freon or CFC's, are accepted if delivered to the Killeen recycling center. A fee is charged for the evacuation of CFC's by a licensed technician and the disposal of the appliance; the fee is stated in the rate schedule, division 6.

(b) For residences without transportation means, the pickup of an appliance that contains CFC's may be arranged with the Killeen recycling center for a curbside collection. A fee is charged for the collection, the CFC evacuation service, and the disposal of the appliance, as stated in the rate schedule, division 6.
(Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-90. Roll-off service for special recycling purposes or events.

(a) The solid waste services division may offer roll-off containers for occasional use for the restricted collection of recyclable materials. The use of a roll-off shall be coordinated with the recycling manager.

(b) It is the responsibility of the roll-off customer to insure only designated recyclables are placed in the roll-off container. Roll-offs with garbage/rubbish will be charged standard rates.

(c) A roll-off rental fee as stated in the rate schedule, division 6, shall be paid at the time the roll-off service is coordinated with the recycling manager.

(d) Recyclable material placed in the roll-off becomes the property of the city.
(Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Secs. 24-91--24-99. Reserved.

DIVISION 5. TRANSFER STATION

Sec. 24-100. Authorized users of the transfer station facility.

The transfer station facility is the central receiving and transfer point for all municipal solid waste generated by the city. Persons authorized to dispose of waste at the facility are:

- (a) Killeen residents and commercial businesses.
- (b) Citizens and businesses in the rural areas (counties).
- (c) Citizens from other municipalities.

(d) Out-of-town contractors or businesses who have a work permit in Killeen.
(Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-101. Hours of operation.

The hours of operation for the public are 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday; and 8:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. on Wednesday and Saturday. The facility is closed to the public on Sunday and the holidays: Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, and New Year's Day. (Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-102. Permit restrictions.

(a) The transfer station must operate in compliance with the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) rules and regulations, and the approved site operating plan. The facility is not permitted to accept hazardous waste or special waste. Special waste is any solid waste that because of quantity, concentration, physical or chemical characteristics or biological properties, requires special handling and disposal to protect human health or the environment.

(b) Special waste **NOT ACCEPTED:**

- Septic tank pumpings.
- Medical waste from health care facilities.
- Grease and grit trap waste.
- Discarded materials containing asbestos.
- Segregated hazardous waste from small quantity generators.
- Slaughter house waste and dead animals.
- Other waste classified as special waste by the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) Rules and Regulations.

(Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-103. Military material prohibited.

Garbage, rubbish, or other solid waste generated on the Fort Hood military reservation shall not be accepted at the transfer station without prior approval from the city manager. (Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-104. Transfer station use and charges for Killeen residents.

Residential customers are authorized one free disposal of not more than 300 pounds per calendar month at the transfer station, when presenting a current utility bill for their residence showing that solid waste services is a paid utility. Weight in excess of 300 pounds shall be assessed at the current scale rate. Items which shall be accepted for disposal are brush, yard waste, grass clippings, leaves, garbage, rubbish, furniture items, building waste, demolition or construction materials or debris such as carpet, padding, roofing shingles, doors, lumber, sinks, commodes, and sheetrock. Walk behind lawnmowers may also be discarded provided it is demonstrated that the mower does not contain fuel or engine oil. (Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-105. Charges for non-residents, commercial businesses and all others.

Disposal of acceptable waste materials at the transfer station shall be calculated by weight as determined by the on-site scales. The fees are as stated in the rate schedule, division 6. (Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-106. Surcharge for unsecured loads.

Vehicles hauling waste to the site must be enclosed or provided with a tarpaulin, net, or other means to secure the load to prevent blowing litter or spillage. A surcharge shall be assessed for unsecured loads as stated in the rate schedule, division 6. (Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-107. Recycling drop off-site.

(a) A citizen's drop-off site for recyclable materials is located at the transfer station. Recycle materials that are accepted are posted at the site. Fees are not charged for depositing these materials.

(b) White goods are accepted at the facility without payment of fees. However, any appliance such as freezer, air conditioning unit, or refrigerator must have a certification from a licensed technician that the appliance is free of refrigerant or chlorinated fluorocarbon (CFC). (Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Sec. 24-108. Scrap tires.

(a) The facility accepts most tires from cars and pick-up trucks for disposal. A fee is charged for each tire based on size, as stated in the rate schedule, division 6.

(b) Tires that have a bead of two (2) inches or greater shall not be accepted for disposal. The bead is the thickness of the tire that fits against the wheel rim. Most tires from off-road construction equipment are in the unacceptable category. (Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03)

Secs. 24-109--24-114. Reserved.

DIVISION 6. RATE SCHEDULE

Sec. 24-115. Residential rates.

(a) Variable rates shall be charged depending on the size and quantity of containers selected. This monthly base rate includes the standard weekly services as stated in section 24-46(b). Sales tax shall be added to fees for goods and services where required by state law. A separate deposit of \$30.00 shall be required for solid waste services when establishing a water services account with the utility collections division.

Container Size(s) Available	Monthly Base Rate
96 gallon	\$17.50
64 gallon	\$15.60
32 gallon	\$14.38

(b) Additional container(s) of the same or different size may be subscribed by paying the fee stated above for the additional container(s).

(c) A container exchange fee of \$10.00 shall be charged for all exchanges to a larger container or additional containers. This is a one-time fee charged to the monthly utility bill. There shall be no charge for customers who exchange a larger container for a smaller container.

(d) Brush collection: on the scheduled collection day, residents are allowed up to six (6) cubic yards of segregated brush (dimensions of 4 ft x 4 ft x 12 ft). Brush in excess of this amount shall be charged a fee at the rate of seven dollars (\$7.00) per cubic yard.

(e) Special collection service fee: solid waste (excluding non-collectibles) that are identified under section 24.54 and at curb on the scheduled collection day and properly prepared for collection shall be picked up for the following fees:

- (1) \$20.00 minimum for a volume up to three (3) cubic yards.
- (2) \$7.00 per cubic yard in excess of three (3) cubic yards.

(f) Replacement cost for lost, stolen, or damaged roll-out containers or recycling bins through customer abuse or neglect: \$19.00 service fee, plus the cost to purchase the replacement container.

(g) Replacement of container lids, wheels, and other container hardware due to customer abuse or neglect: \$19.00 Service fee, plus the cost of replacement part(s).

(h) Missed service fee for automated collection: \$7.00 for return trip.

(i) Automated container reload for excess garbage placed in plastic bag: \$6.00 per reload; maximum number of reloads per collection two (2), for a maximum fee of \$12.00.

(j) Fee charged for an overloaded container: \$6.00.

(k) Residential premium service.

- (1) \$22.00 for emptying of automated container only.
- (2) \$22.00 service fee and \$7.00 per cubic yard for other special waste properly prepared for collection.

(l) Fee to remove roll-out residential container from curb by city employee: \$6.00.

(Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03; Ord. No. 09-057, § I, 9-15-09; Ord. No. 10-048, § I, 9-24-10; Ord. No. 11-081, § I, 9-13-11)

Sec. 24-116. Commercial rates.

(a) Once per week collection using a 96-gallon container: \$17.50 per month.

(b) Once per week collection using a 300-gallon container: \$52.97 per month.

(c) Dumpster container rates are based on size of container and frequency of weekly collection.

(1) Monthly fees:

Dumpster Size	Collections Per Week						
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
2 cu yd	\$ 73.02	\$111.37	\$155.76	\$200.15	\$245.48	\$288.92	\$333.31
3 cu yd	\$ 89.12	\$138.24	\$194.70	\$251.18	\$307.65	\$364.12	\$420.59
4 cu yd	\$104.24	\$164.19	\$232.74	\$301.27	\$369.85	\$438.41	\$506.96
6 cu yd	\$136.47	\$217.92	\$310.64	\$403.35	\$496.07	\$588.78	\$681.49
8 cu yd	\$168.69	\$271.51	\$388.51	\$505.40	\$622.27	\$739.17	\$856.05

(2) Fees for extra pickups:

Size of Container	For Customer Reload on Site	For Call-In Service
2 cu yd	\$11.38	\$25.65
3 cu yd	\$14.51	\$28.76
4 cu yd	\$17.60	\$31.86
6 cu yd	\$23.82	\$38.07
8 cu yd	\$30.02	\$44.28

(d) Fees for collection from privately owned, small compactors are based on size of compactor and frequency of weekly collection:

Compactor Size	Collections Per Week						
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
4 cu yd	\$138.25	\$271.42	\$404.59	\$537.73	\$ 670.93	\$ 804.10	\$ 937.27
6 cu yd	\$185.48	\$366.56	\$545.65	\$725.74	\$ 905.82	\$1085.90	\$1265.97
8 cu yd	\$232.76	\$459.68	\$686.84	\$913.91	\$1140.95	\$1368.00	\$1595.04

(e) Fees for roll-off container service:

(1)

Size of Container	Rental Fee (a)	Service
20 yd open top	\$123.89	\$126.81 +weight ^b
30 yd open top	\$146.34	\$126.81 +weight ^b
40 yd open top	\$167.81	\$126.81 +weight ^b
20 yd compactor	Must own	\$126.81 +weight ^b
30 yd compactor	Must own	\$126.81 +weight ^b
42 yd compactor	Must own	\$126.81 +weight ^b
(a) minimum fee: one month rental for first month; prorated for subsequent months		
^b weight fee is \$ 58.70 per ton		

(2) Prepaid deposit based on number of services per month:

Size of Roll Off	Number of Services Per Month							
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
20 yd open top	\$399.00	\$695.40	\$ 991.80	\$1288.20	\$1584.60	\$1881.00	\$2177.40	\$2473.80
30 yd open top	\$484.50	\$839.04	\$1194.72	\$1550.40	\$1906.08	\$2261.76	\$2575.26	\$2929.80
40 yd open top	\$558.60	\$974.70	\$1390.80	\$1803.48	\$2217.30	2631.13	\$3047.22	\$3463.32

(f) Installation of locking bar device on commercial containers: \$31.38 installation fee plus \$3.14 monthly rental.

(g) Dumpster cleaning required by solid waste director or requested by customer, because of odor or unsanitary condition: \$65.00 per wash.

(h) Necessary dumpster cleaning and painting after a fire in container: \$230.00.

(i) Mechanical assistance to customer to unload unauthorized items in container, such as appliances, couches, etc: \$50.50.

(j) *Manual collection*: one hundred thirty eight dollars and thirty seven cents (\$138.37) per hour based on the total amount of time including; but not limited to, travel, loading and disposal, plus weight of contents.

(k) *Special mechanical collection*:

(1) \$20.00 minimum for a volume up to three (3) cubic yards.

(2) \$7.00 per cubic yard in excess of (3) three cubic yards.

(l) Waiting time (blocked dumpster asked to wait) - \$128.27/hour; \$2.15/minute.

(m) After hours special pickup of dumpsters (under two hours) - \$50.50.

(n) Deposit at utility collections division for recurring use of transfer station in order to be able to charge disposal costs - \$125.00.

(o) Installation of dumpster - \$50.50.

(p) Relocation of dumpster - \$50.50.

(Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03; Ord. No. 04-70, § I, 8-24-04; Ord. No. 05-72, § I, 9-13-05; Ord. No. 06-132, § I, 12-12-06; Ord. No. 09-057, § I, 9-15-09; Ord. No. 10-048, § I, 9-14-10; Ord. No. 11-081, § I, 9-13-11)

Sec. 24-117. Recycling rates.

(a) Subscription to the residential curbside recycling service: \$2.48 per month.

(b) Additional (or second) 22-gallon recycling bin: city's current cost to purchase containers – one time cost only.

(c) Lid cover for the 22-gallon recycling bin: city's current cost to purchase lids – one time cost only.

(d) Public scale fee:

(1) Weight ticket - \$9.00

(2) Copy of ticket - \$6.00

(e) Roll-off rental for special purposes or events: \$65.00 (per service).

(f) Fee for each appliance received at Killeen recycling center for CFC evacuation and disposal of appliance: \$20.00.

(g) Pickup of an appliance containing CFC's at residential curbside, CFC evacuation, and disposal of appliance: \$40.00.

(Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03; Ord. No. 09-057, § I, 9-15-09; Ord. No. 10-048, § I, 9-14-10; Ord. No. 11-081, § I, 9-13-11)

Sec. 24-118. Transfer station rates.

(a) Disposal fee, when applicable, shall be calculated by weight as determined by the on-site scales, at a rate of fifty-eight dollars and seventy cents (\$58.70) per ton, two dollars and ninety-three cents (\$2.93) per one hundred (100) pounds; which is the minimum fee.

(b) Surcharge for unsecured load: \$25.00.

(c) Tire disposal fees:

(1) Passenger/light truck tires greater than 12" rim size up to a 22" rim size: \$3.00.

(2) Passenger/light truck tires up to a 12" rim size: \$2.50.

(2) Commercial tires, but not larger than a 2" bead: \$6.00.

(Ord. No. 03-41, § I, 8-26-03; Ord. No. 09-057, § I, 9-15-09; Ord. No. 10-048, § I, 9-14-10;
Ord. No. 11-081, § I, 9-13-11)

Secs. 24-119--24-125. Reserved.